

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:)
Gert-Åke OLSSON et al.) Confirmation No.: 7412
Application No.: 10/560,784) Group Art Unit: 3725
Filed: March 22, 2007) Examiner: Francis, Faye
FOR: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR)
CLAMPING OF CRUSHING SHELL)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT/ELECTION OF SPECIES

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 25, 2010, Applicants elect the invention of Group II, Claims 6-20, directed to an outer shell in a gyratory crusher with traverse.

Applicants traverse this restriction requirement for at least the following reasons.

The present application is a national stage filing of a PCT International application. As such, unity of invention is required pursuant to PCT Rules 13.1 and 13.2. In the present application, Claims 1-5 (Group I) are directed to a method fastening an outer shell and Claims 6-20 (Group II) and Claim 21 (Group III) are directed to parts (i.e., the outer shell and spacer) which is specially designed for carrying out the process.

According to MPEP 1893.03(d), an apparatus is specially designed for carrying out the process when the apparatus is suitable for carrying out the process with the technical relationship